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PART V.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 29th Saturday in 1920 (17th July 1920).

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday: This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1920: This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5		Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices food grains			
		1		2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.			This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					
	City & Taluk ...	0	00	1	14	5	17	10	20	— 5	03			Seers.	Seers.	Seers.
	Hoskote ...	0	14	1	03	4	23	7	88	— 3	65					
	Dodballapur ...	0	26	1	61	8	12	9	57	— 1	45	Rice, 2nd sort.		4·00	4·00	5·93
	Nelamangala ...	0	00	1	16	5	95	9	35	— 3	40					
	Kankanhalli ...	0	13	0	95	10	99	10	30	+ 0	69	Ragi		7·00	7·00	13·06
	Magadi ...	0	00	0	96	8	46	10	51	— 2	05	Kulthi		6·00	6·00	10·75
	Channapatna ...	0	14	1	04	9	95	11	28	— 1	33	Kadale		4·00	4·00	7·43
	Anekal ...	0	33	0	56	10	31	10	03	+ 0	28					
	Devanhalli ...	0	07	1	13	6	27	9	49	— 3	22					
	Closepet ...	0	62	1	15	11	37	11	23	+ 0	09					
	District average...	0	17	1	07	8	08	9	99	— 1	91					
KOLAR.	Kolar ...	0	11	1	67	5	45	10	67	— 5	22					
	Bowringpet ...	0	00	1	59	4	22	10	35	— 6	13	Rice, 2nd sort.		4·25	4·25	7·72
	Chintamani ...	0	32	0	99	5	60	9	36	— 3	76	Ragi		7·25	7·50	17·23
	Mulbagal ...	0	36	1	16	4	86	9	12	— 4	26	Kulthi		7·25	7·50	11·75
	Sidlaghatta ...	0	82	1	53	4	29	10	58	— 6	29	Kadale		4·25	4·00	9·10
	Chikballapur ...	1	20	1	16	6	71	10	06	— 3	35					
	Bagepalli ...	0	29	1	16	5	34	8	15	— 2	81					
	Goribidnur ...	0	10	1	38	2	96	10	02	— 7	06					
	Malur ...	0	00	1	30	3	71	9	85	— 6	14					
	Srinivaspur ...	1	20	1	30	7	01	10	61	— 3	60					
	Gudibanda ...	0	04	1	32	4	94	11	97	— 7	03					
	District average...	0	40	1	32	5	01	10	07	— 5	06					
TUMKUR.	Tumkur ...	1	12	0	66	9	85	10	17	— 0	32					
	Maddagiri ...	0	00	0	91	5	26	10	86	— 5	60	Rice, 2nd sort		4·50	4·50	8·00
	Chiknayakanhalli ...	0	56	0	44	6	37	9	39	— 3	02	Ragi		8·50	8·50	18·00
	Sira ...	0	00	0	28	6	86	7	97	— 1	11	Kulthi		6·50	6·50	10·00
	Gubbi ...	0	41	1	30	9	35	12	09	— 2	76	Kadale		3·50	3·50	8·80
	Tiptur ...	0	00	0	59	4	82	7	91	— 3	09					
	Pavagada ...	0	20	0	39	3	37	7	88	— 4	51					
	Kunigal ...	0	00	0	81	6	28	10	71	— 4	43					
	Koratagere ...	0	00	0	69	5	34	10	80	— 5	46					
	Turuvekere ...	0	00	0	71	3	65	11	01	— 7	36					
	District average ...	0	23	0	68	6	12	9	88	— 3	76					

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1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
												Seers	Seers	Seers
MYSORE. Mysore	0	42	0	72	6	87	11	71	— 4	84	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	4·50	6·55
Chamrajnagar	0	00	0	55	7	60	9	34	— 1	74	Ragi	8·00	8·00	13·69
Seringapatam	0	00	0	62	8	30	10	47	— 2	17				
Hunsur	0	52	0	85	15	50	13	74	+ 1	76	Kulthi	6·50	6·50	12·81
Yedatore	0	14	1	18	7	74	10	12	— 2	38	Kadale	4·00	4·00	7·00
Heggaddevankote	3	87	1	95	24	67	16	89	+ 7	78				
Gundlupet	0	27	0	61	11	89	11	22	+ 0	67				
Nanjangud	0	97	0	86	12	33	11	64	+ 0	69				
T.-Narsipur	0	00	0	36	10	37	10	10	+ 0	27				
Malvalli	0	45	0	30	9	11	9	84	— 0	73				
Mandya	0	00	0	37	7	84	9	50	— 1	66				
Krishnarajpete	0	19	1	20	7	65	12	40	— 4	75				
Nagamangala	0	00	0	41	7	26	8	17	— 0	91				
District average...	0	53	0	77	10	55	11	16	— 0	62				
HASSAN. Hassan	1	58	1	39	11	36	39	28	—27	92	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·25	3·50 to 4·00	7·00
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	11	15	5	60	41	19	55	57	—14	38	Ragi	8 to 9·00	8·00	15·00
Arkalgud	2	49	2	21	12	97	42	96	—29	99				
Belur	2	00	1	93	10	03	41	28	—31	25	Kulthi	6·00	6·00	12·00
Channarayapatna	0	21	0	71	10	57	37	91	—27	34				
Arsikere	0	12	0	55	6	40	30	11	—23	71	Kadale	3·00	3·00	7·00
Hole-Narsipur	0	68	1	46	8	09	34	37	—26	28				
Alur (Sub)	3	38	2	36	19	17	43	27	—24	10				
District average...	2	70	2	03	14	97	40	59	—25	62				
SHIMOGA. Shimoga	2	53	2	00	13	81	13	31	+ 0	50	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·50	5·50	8·00
Channagiri	2	25	1	28	13	56	10	49	+ 3	07	Ragi	9·00	9·00	16·00
Honnali	0	13	0	87	7	69	8	96	— 1	27				
Shikarpur	1	15	2	11	12	97	13	70	— 0	73	Kulthi	6·25	6·25	10·50
Sorab	4	17	4	01	27	53	25	01	+ 2	52				
Sagar	4	48	5	47	35	50	34	21	+ 1	29				
Nagar (Kallurkatte)	15	80	6	68	61	85	44	76	+17	09				
Tirthahalli	13	34	8	10	55	17	52	56	— 2	61				
Kumsi	2	68	2	33	18	22	17	31	+ 0	91				
District average...	5	17	3	65	27	37	24	48	+ 2	89				
KADUR. Chikmagalur	0	90	1	01	9	86	14	70	— 4	84	Rice, 2nd sort.	4 to 6·00	4 to 6·00	3·50 to 5·25
Kadur	0	00	0	34	4	28	7	31	— 2	03	Ragi	9 to 10·00	9 to 10·00	7 to 7·50
Tarikere	2	16	0	98	13	05	11	58	+ 1	47				
Koppa	14	39	4	76	50	31	39	96	+10	35	Kulthi	5·50 to 6·00	5·50 to 6·00	7·50 to 8·00
Mudgere	9	65	3	18	45	47	35	84	+ 9	63				
Narasimharajapura	10	54	2	94	30	34	27	45	+ 2	89	Kadale	3·50 to 4·00	3·50 to 4·00	3·50 to 4·00
Sringeri	15	97	6	70	70	44	53	51	+16	93				
District average...	7	66	2	84	31	96	27	19	+ 4	47				
CHITALDRUG. Chitaldrug	0	34	0	56	5	33	7	87	— 2	54	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	4·50	7·50
Challakere	0	00	0	60	1	39	6	91	— 5	52	Ragi	8·50	9·00	18·00
Hiriyur	0	00	0	61	2	46	9	99	— 7	53				
Holalkere	0	67	1	20	5	11	8	92	— 3	81	Kulthi	7·00	7·50	15·00
Davangere	0	72	1	33	9	13	8	55	+ 0	58				
Molakalmuru	0	14	0	61	3	45	6	57	— 3	12				
Jagalur	0	16	0	45	6	14	7	02	— 0	88	Cholum	8·00	8·50	15·00
Hosdurga	0	00	0	98	4	65	9	31	— 4	66				
Harihar	0	00	1	29	6	10	8	15	— 2	05				
District average...	0	22	0	85	4	86	8	14	— 3	28	Kadale	4·00	4·00	7·50
Provincial average...	2	14	1	65	13	62	17	69	— 4	07				

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current,*		
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort) ...	6·15	4·25	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi	13·61	7·22	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ...	...	5·17	

Agricultural operations.—Ragi, cholam and avare are sown. Want of rain is much felt. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUK.

8. Market is fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations have been completed in almost all the taluks, except Hoskote, where the operations are not in progress for want of sufficient rain.

Seeds sown.—Sugar-cane in parts of Devanhalli Taluk; punaji paddy in parts of Kankanhalli and Anekal Taluks; ragi in parts of Bangalore, Kankanhalli, Magadi, Channapatna and Closepet Sub-Taluk; avare, togari and til in parts of Closepet Sub-Taluk; groundnuts in parts of Channapatna Taluk. Sowing operations are reported to be not progressing well in parts of Dodballapur, Nelamangala, and Channapatna Taluks for want of rain.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, paddy, natu ragi, til and mulberry are in fair condition but paddy crop in parts of Hoskote Taluk and til in parts of Anekal Taluk are reported to be withering for want of rain.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Nelamangala and Anekal Taluks; natu ragi in parts of Hoskote Taluk.

Estimated outturn.—Paddy—Anekal Taluk, 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair, but want of sufficient rain is keenly felt everywhere. Food stuffs are available, but the prices continue to be high. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Plague prevails in all the taluks, except Kankanhalli, Magadi and Closepet and small-pox in parts of Bangalore Taluk. Public health is otherwise generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Dodroga in parts of Bangalore, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Magadi, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Ragi, avare and togari in parts of the Kolar, Sidlaghatta, Srinivaspur, Chikballapur and Goribidnur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Nil.

Standing crops.—Fair. Dry crops wherever sown in small areas are reported to be in need of rain.